# PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

#### **MINUTES**

#### MAY 1, 2012

The scheduled meeting of the Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee was held on **Tuesday**, **May 1**, **2012 at 3:21 p.m.**, **in Committee Room #2**. The following members were present:

The Honorable Michael J. Bond, Chair
The Honorable H. Lamar Willis, Vice-Chair
The Honorable Ivory L. Young, Jr.
The Honorable C. T. Martin
The Honorable Alex Wan
The Honorable Joyce Sheperd
The Honorable Cleta Winslow

Others present at the meeting were: Councilmember Carla Smith; City Attorney Cathy Hampton, Deputy City Attorneys, Eric Richardson, Peter Andrews and Roger Bhandari, Amber Robinson, Gwen Burns and Claude Cole, Law Department; Deputy Chief Shawn Jones, Major Cerelyn J. Davis, Police Department; Raines Cater, City Solicitor; Rosalie Joy, Public Defender, Chief Judge Crystal Gaines, Rodney Stinson, Municipal Court; Karen Rogers, Mayor's Office of Weed and Seed; media, public and council staff.

Chairman Bond called the meeting to order at 3:21 p.m. after declaring a quorum present. He then proceeded with the following order of business:

- A. ADOPTION OF AGENDA ADOPTED
- B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES APPROVED
- C. PRESENTATIONS
  - Departmental Overview/Budget
     Law Department
     Municipal Court
  - 2. Code Enforcement Update Major C. J. Davis

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#### **CONSENT**

#### D. RESOLUTIONS

#### Claims with favorable recommendations:

12-R-0511 (1) Claim of Dale Conner, through his attorney, William Holman (DWM/01), for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of vehicular accident on September 16, 2010 at 930 Moreland Avenue. \$8,500.00 Claim of Chaz Lewis, through his attorney, Gregory 12-R-0512 (2) Stokes (APD/05), for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a vehicular accident on June 13, 2011 at Memorial Drive at Clifton Street. \$4,400.00 12-R-0513 (3) Claim of Zuri Morrison, through her attorney, R. Shane Smith (DPRCA/03), for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of debris falling from the vehicle on June 16, 2011 at 825 Donald Lee Hollowell Parkway. \$2,200.00 Claim of **Helen Griffin (DWM/01)**, for vehicular damages 12-R-0514 (4) alleged to have been sustained from a metal plate on September 26, 2011 at Ormewood and Moreland Avenue. \$1.333.95 12-R-0515 (5) Claim of MARTA (DPW/11), for property damages alleged to have been sustained from an automobile accident on June 3, 2011 at Headland Drive and Greenbrier Parkway. \$1.015.64 Claim of Yolanda Isom (DPW/09), for damages alleged to 12-R-0516 (6) have been sustained from an automobile accident on December 6, 2011 at 1944 Donald Lee Hollowell Parkway. \$950.00 12-R-0517 (7) Claim of Lisa Reisman (DPW/06), for vehicular damages alleged to have been sustained from a pothole on February 6,

2011 at 1736 Monroe Drive.

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#### RESOLUTIONS

### Claims with unfavorable recommendations:

- 12-R-0518 (8) Claim of <u>Progressive Insurance</u>, as subrogee of Kejuana <u>Butler (APD/03)</u>, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a vehicular accident on November 27, 2011 at 584 Lindsay Street. **\$801.24**
- 12-R-0519 (9) Claim of **Angela Chaney (DWM/12)**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained from a metal plate on January 26, 2012 at 1020 Conley Road. **§684.00**

- 12-R-0520 (10) Claim of **Nina Murray (NA/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of driving over an unsecured construction cut on November 30, 2010 at 30 Boulevard.
- 12-R-0521 (11) Claim of **Donna Lynn Wallace, through her attorney, the Law Office of Adam P. Taylor (DOA/NA)**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained from a slip-and-fall incident on August 11, 2011 at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, 8700 Spine Road.
- 12-R-0522 (12) Claim of <u>Tiffany Thompson</u>, <u>through her attorney</u>, <u>The Keener Law Firm (DOA/NA)</u>, for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from a slip-and-fall incident on August 16, 2011 at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, 8700 Spine Road.
- 12-R-0523 (13) Claim of **Tyrone Lambert (DPW/NA)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of debris that fell from a City vehicle on August 23, 2010 on Interstate 20 West.
- 12-R-0524 (14) Claim of <u>Cincinnati Insurance Company</u>, as subrogee of <u>Atlanta Legal Aid Society</u>, through its attorney Bernard <u>F. Kistler</u>, <u>Jr. (DWM/02)</u>, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a water main break on November 11, 2010 at 151 Spring Street.

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#### **RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

- 12-R-0525 (15) Claim of Nationwide Insurance Company, as subrogee of Marc V. Takacs (DPW/02), for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of an automobile accident on January 7, 2011 at 1-20 Westbound and Boulevard.
- 12-R-0526 (16) Claim of **Kenneth Davis (DPW/05)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of an automobile accident on February 11, 2011 at 745 Memorial Drive.
- 12-R-0527 (17) Claim of Oxford Capital Development, LLC & Rosalind R. Rieser, through their attorney, Walter W. Furlong, P. C. (DWM/08), for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of sewer line replacement in January 2012 at 2929 Habersham Road.
- 12-R-0528 (18) Claim of **Shelbie Hugle (DWM/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of walking onto a storm drain grate on December 29, 2009 at 154 Marietta Street.
- 12-R-0529 (19) Claim of <u>Carl Gentry, through his attorney, Mark Harper</u> (<u>DWM/06</u>), for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of walking on an unsecured water meter cover on July 15, 2009 at 1305 McLendon Avenue.
- 12-R-0530 (20) Claim of Alexandria Bell, through her attorney, James H. Kelleher, Morgan & Morgan (DOA/NA), for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from a slip-and-fall incident on June 21, 2011 at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, 8700 Spine Road.
- 12-R-0531 (21) Claim of **Gerald T. Buffington (DOA/NA)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained when clothing was stained from the fluid from the air unit on the train on November 15, 2011 at Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport.

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### **RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

- 12-R-0532 (22) Claim of <u>Delayne Malayter, through her attorney, Russell</u>

  T. Deutchman, Kenneth S. Nugent, P. C. (DOA/NA), for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from descending an escalator on September 22, 2011 at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, 8700 Spine Road.
- 12-R-0533 (23) Claim of **Ninetta Davis (DWM/03)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of walking onto a manhole cover that was not completely on the manhole on August 10, 2011 at Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive at Northside Drive.
- 12-R-0534 (24) Claim of **Fredia Miller (NA/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of driving over an unsecured construction cut on February 11, 2011 at 1020 Spring Street.
- 12-R-0535 (25) Claim of **China J. Crawford (AFD/02)**, for bodily injury alleged to have been sustained as the result of an automobile accident on December 15, 2010 at the Spring Street overpass of I-75/I-85.
- 12-R-0536 (26) Claim of **Kemper Insurance**, as subrogee of Allen Collier, for vehicular damages alleged to have been sustained as the result of an automobile accident on May 12, 2011 at Metropolitan Boulevard and Arthur Street.
- 12-R-0537 (27) Claim of **Steven Stern (DMW/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a sewer backup on August 19, 2011 at 227 Degress Avenue.
- 12-R-0538 (28) Claim of **Donald Gardner, through his attorney, Sam Starks (DWM/11)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a storm water backup beginning on September 26, 2010 at 2069 Dodson Drive.

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#### RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)

- 12-R-0539 (29) Claim of <u>Valory Crudup</u>, through her attorney, Reynolds <u>E. Pitts</u>, <u>Jr. (DWM/02)</u>, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a vehicular accident on July 5, 2011 at 1742 Lanier Drive.
- 12-R-0540 (30) Claim of **Donald Gardner, through his attorney, Melvin Dansby (DWM/11)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a storm water backup beginning on May 15, 2008 at 2069 Dodson Drive.
- 12-R-0541 (31) Claim of <u>James and Rebecca Flinders, through their</u> attorney, Kopelman Sitton Law Group (DWM/01), for damages alleged to have been sustained from noxious odors and high levels of noise from the City's sewer system on September 23, 2011 at 910 Teton Avenue, SE.
- 12-R-0542 (32) Claim of **John Grubb (NA/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of driving over an unsecured construction cut on November 29, 2010 at 30 Boulevard.
- 12-R-0543 (33) Claim of **Harvey and Judy Jones (DWM/NA)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a broken water line on October 4, 2011 at 4850 North Wexford Road.
- 12-R-0544 (34) Claim of <u>Summer Whitfield, through her attorney,</u>
  <u>Morgan and Morgan (DWM/04)</u>, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a walking into an open water meter on April 7, 2010 at 807 Cooper Street.
- 12-R-0545 (35) Claim of <u>Jeanetta Wright, through her attorney, Daniel P.</u>
  <u>Hoffey (DWM/10)</u>, for damages alleged to have been sustained as the result of a sewer backup on May 20, 2010 at 3791 Rockport Place.
- 12-R-0546 (36) Claim of **Steve Gottlieb (DWM/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a water main break on November 20, 2011 at 151 Spring Street.

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### **RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

- 12-R-0547 (37) Claim of **James L. Stork (DOA/NA)**, for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from a fall on an escalator on September 21, 2011 at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, 8700 Spine Road.
- 12-R-0548 (38) Claim of <u>Varick Brown, through his attorney, Melvin</u>
  Robinson, P. C. (APD/06), for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of an automobile accident on August 27, 2010 at Cheshire Bridge Road and Piedmont Road.
- 12-R-0549 (39) Claim of **Matthew Richner (DPW/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of driving over a pothole on March 31, 2011 at 467 10<sup>th</sup> Street.
- 12-R-0550 (40) Claim of **Michael Moebes (DWM/01)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a sewer backup on February 6, 2011 at 915 Teton Avenue.
- 12-R-0551 (41) Claim of **James Green (DPRCA/07)**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained when a tree fell on February 11, 2012 at 3200 Lenox Road Unit F-207.
- 12-R-0552 (42) Claim of **Andromeda Oatis (NA/02)**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of driving over an unsecured construction cut on November 30, 2011 at 30 Boulevard.
- 12-R-0553 (43) Claim of **Ilantha E. Ushry (AFD/02)**, for property damages and bodily injury alleged to have been sustained as the result of an automobile accident on December 15, 2010 at the Spring Street overpass of I-75/I-85.
- 12-R-0554 (44) Claim of Robinson Technical Southeast, Inc., through their attorney, Jason A. Plaza, White and Williams (DWM/NA), for property damages alleged to have been sustained from a water main leak on November 8, 2010 at 4420 Commerce Drive.

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#### **RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

#### Claims with unfavorable recommendations:

- 12-R-0555 (45) Claim of <u>Arlene Belzer, through her attorney, Nathan C.</u>

  Belzer, Belzer, PC, for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from a fall on June 2, 2011 at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport.
- 12-R-0556 (46) Claim of **Michael Nelson (DOA/NA)**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained when a truck struck an electrical conduit hanging from the parking lot ceiling on August 8, 2010 at Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport, 8700 Spine Road.
- 12-R-0557 (47) Claim of Kaydence Lee, by and through, her guardian,

  Next Friend and Adoptive Mother, Kim Hogan, on behalf
  of her deceased father, Eric Lee, through their attorney,
  Brandon L. Peak, Butler, Wooten & Fryhofer, LLP, for
  bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from a
  hydraulic lift incident on August 2, 2011 at HartsfieldJackson International Airport, 3400 Inner Loop Road.
  (Councilmember Young made a motion to approve Items
  D1-D47)

#### **FAVORABLE**

#### E. ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING

12-O-0581 (1) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend the (2012 Intergovernmental/Grant Fund) Budget Department of the Mayor, by adding to appropriations in the amount of \$74,909.00 for the continuation of the Weed and Seed Program; and for other purposes.

TO BE REFERRED TO PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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#### ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING (CONT'D)

12-0-0582 (2)

An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to accept modifications to Grant Award #G10GA0003A, from the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy ("ONDCP"), and to amend the 2012 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget by adding to anticipations and appropriations the amount of \$79,266.00 with no matching funds, bringing Grant Award #G10GA0003A to a new total of \$5,715,030.00, for the purpose of continuing the Atlanta High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area Task Force ("Atlanta HIDTA"); to disrupt and dismantle drug trafficking organizations; and for other purposes.

## TO BE REFERRED TO PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

12-0-0583 (3)

An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to accepting grant modifications to Grant Award #G11GA0003A, from the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy ("ONDCP") and amending the 2012 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget by and adding to anticipations and appropriations the amount of \$583,447.00 with matching no funds. bringing Grant #G11GA0003A to a new total of \$5,649,928.00, for the purpose of continuing the Atlanta High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area Task Force ("Atlanta HIDTA"); to disrupt and dismantle drug trafficking organizations; and for other purposes.

## TO BE REFERRED TO PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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## **ORDINANCE FOR FIRST READING (CONT'D)**

12-O-0584 (4) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to accept a grant from the United States Department of Justice, Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program ("BVP"), to supplement the cost of Bulletproof Vests purchased by the Atlanta Police Department to better protect Atlanta Police Officers from gunfire, and to amend the 2012 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget, Department of Police, by adding to anticipations and appropriations in the amount of \$16,316.07 from a grant from the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program of the United States Department of Justice; and for other purposes.

## TO BE REFERRED TO PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

12-O-0585 (5) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to accept a sub-grant from the Georgia Emergency Management Agency ("GEMA"), to aid the City of Atlanta's ongoing efforts to protect itself from terrorist attacks, through the purchase of specialized supplies and equipment for the Department of Police ("Department"), and to amend the 2012 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Department of Police Budget, by adding to anticipations and appropriations in the amount of \$115,000.00; and for other purposes,

## TO BE REFERRED TO PUBLIC SAFETY AND LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

#### REGULAR

#### F. COMMUNICATION

12-C-0473 (1) A Communication from Cathy Richards, President, Atlanta Planning Advisory Board, to Municipal Clerk Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, submitting their appointment of Mr. Maceo C. Williams, Sr. as the Board's Representative to serve as a member of the Atlanta Citizen Review Board, scheduled to begin on the date of Council confirmation.

(Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve.)
FAVORABLE - REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL

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#### G. ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING

12-O-0375 (1) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend Chapter 70, Article II of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, entitled "Burglar or Robbery Alarm Systems," for the purpose of regulating Burglary and Robbery Alarm Systems within the City of Atlanta in order to reduce the number of false alarms within the City of Atlanta through more efficient regulation of such alarm systems; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Bond made a motion to hold)

#### **HELD**

12-O-0482 (2) An Ordinance by Councilmember C. T. Martin to waive the provisions of Chapter 10, Article II, Section 10-209 (c) and (d) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia so as to modify the hours of operation on Monday, May 28, 2012 (Memorial Day), only, for all licensed establishments authorized to sell alcoholic beverages for on premises consumption; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Martin made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

12-O-0484 (3) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Alex Wan and Michael J. Bond to amend Chapter 10, Article II, Division 2, Subdivision II, Section 10-88 of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances, (Entitled "Distances of Establishments from Residences, Schools, Churches, Library, Hospitals and other public places"), to prohibit certain establishments licensed for the sale of alcohol for consumption on the premises from being located within 300 feet of tattoo establishments; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

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#### ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING (CONT'D)

12-O-0485 (4) An Ordinance by Councilmember Kwanza Hall to amend Section 150-296 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta (Entitled "Cruising on Public Streets") so as to expand the "No Cruising Zone" time prohibition from the currently designated period of 7:00 p.m. – 4:00 a.m., to 7:00 p.m. – 7:00 a.m.; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Bond made a motion to hold)

#### HELD

12-O-0488 (5) An Ordinance by Councilmember Michael J. Bond to repurpose General Fund Revenue from City Cell Tower Leases for the Atlanta Police Department Shot Spotter (Councilmember Bond made a motion to hold)

#### HELD

12-O-0502 (6) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Carla Smith, Howard Shook, Alex Wan, Aaron Watson, Michael J. Bond, H. Lamar Willis, C. T. Martin and Ivory L. Young, Jr. to amend Section 74-137(a) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, "The Atlanta Noise Ordinance", so as to prohibit car drifting on private property within one thousand (1000) feet of a residentially zoned district.

(Councilmember Martin made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

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#### H. RESOLUTIONS

12-R-0483 (1)

A Resolution by Councilmember C. T. Martin as substituted by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor on behalf of the City of Atlanta to execute FC-5684 Clean and Close Contractors, with CTC Construction, LLC FC-5684 (A), Resurgence Demolition & Environmental, Inc. FC-5684 (B), and Hobgood Construction Company, Inc., FC-5684, (C) to provide Citywide Clean and Close Services in connection with demolition of abandoned structures on behalf of the Department of Police, Office of Code Compliance in an amount not to exceed \$500,000.00 per year total for all contractors, with an initial term of three (3) years with one (1) two (2) year renewal option; all contracted work to be charged to and paid from Project Fund for the Atlanta Urban Redevelopment Agency Taxable Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds, Series 2010; and Westside Tad Project Fund; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve on substitute on condition)

#### **FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE ON CONDITION**

12-R-0504 (2)

A Resolution by Councilmember C. T. Martin as substituted by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor on behalf of the City of Atlanta to FC-5683 Citywide Demolition Demolition Services, with Kissberg Construction, Inc. FC-5683 (A), Complete Demolition Services, Inc. FC-5683, (B), Hobgood Construction Company, Inc. FC-5683. Resurgence Demolition & Environmental, Inc. FC-5683 (D) and Southern Demolition and Environmental, Inc. (E), to provide Citywide Demolition Services on behalf of the Department of Police, Office of Code Compliance in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000.00 per year total for all contractors, with an initial term of three (3) years with one (1) two (2) year renewal option; all contracted work to be charged to and paid from Project Fund for the Atlanta Urban Redevelopment Agency Taxable Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds, Series 2010; and Westside Tad Project Fund; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve on substitute on condition)

**FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE ON CONDITION** 

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#### **RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

12-R-0586 (3)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor or his designee to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with the State of Georgia to permit the Georgia Emergency Management Agency to expend Homeland Security Grant Program funding on behalf of the Atlanta Police Department for equipment and training to enhance response to terrorist attacks, pursuant to the Urban Areas Security initiative; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

12-R-0587 (4)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor or his designee to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with the State of Georgia to permit the Georgia Emergency Management Agency to expend Homeland Security Grant Program funding on behalf of the Atlanta Police Department for equipment to enhance Police Response Capabilities to attacks by Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and enhanced Conventional Weapons, pursuant to the Urban Areas Security Initiative; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

12-R-0588 (5)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor or his designee to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with the State of Georgia to permit the Georgia Emergency Management Agency to expend Homeland Security Grant Program funding on behalf of the Atlanta Police Department for equipment capable of responding to attacks by Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and Enhanced Conventional Weapons ("CBRNE"), pursuant to the Urban Areas Security Initiative; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Wan made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

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#### RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)

12-R-0589 (6)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor, on behalf of the Mayor's Office of Weed and Seed, to apply for and accept funding in an amount up to \$1,000,000.00 with no matching funds, from the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Neighborhood Assistance. White House Revitalization Initiative to plan and implement a place-based strategy to neighborhood level crime supports that Neighborhood Revitalization or Redevelopment Initiatives; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Young made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

12-R-0590 (7)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor, on behalf of the Mayor's Office of Weed and Seed and the Atlanta Police Department, to apply for and accept funding in an amount up to \$1,000,000.00 with no matching funds, from the Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs to support the implementation of Project Atlas (Atlanta's Anti-Violence Strategy); and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Young made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

12-R-0605 (8)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the settlement of all claims against the City of Atlanta in the case of <u>Adam Reed v. City of Atlanta</u>, Civil Action File No. 2010-CV-181967, Fulton County Superior Court, in the total amount of \$164,000.00; authorizing said payment to be paid from Fund, Center Number, Account and Functional Activity Number listed; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to distribute the settlement amount after July 1, 2012; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Willis made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

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#### **RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

12-R-0606 (9)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the settlement of all claims against the City of Atlanta in the case of Mary Dooley v. City of Atlanta, Civil Action File No. 2011-EV-011855, Fulton County State Court, in the total amount of \$95,000.00; authorizing said payment to be paid from Fund, Center Number, Account and Functional Activity Number listed; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to distribute the settlement amount; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Willis made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

12-R-0607 (10)

A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the settlement of all claims against the City of Atlanta in the case of Anthony Davis v. City of Atlanta, Georgia, et al, Civil Action File No. 2010-CV-193676, Fulton County Superior Court, in the total amount of \$95,000.00; authorizing said payment to be paid from Fund, Center Number, Account and Functional Activity Number listed; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to distribute the settlement amount; and for other purposes.

(Councilmember Willis made a motion to approve)

#### **FAVORABLE**

#### I. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE

10-R-0137 (1)

A Resolution by Councilmembers Natalyn M. Archibong and C. T. Martin requesting that City Council authorize a Forensic Audit should be conducted as a result of the findings and recommendations from the Audit Report of the Public Safety Facilities Construction and the Sale of City Hall East; and for other purposes. (Held 1/12/10 for a Joint Work Session with Finance/Executive Committee and Committee on Council) (Work Session held 2/3/10)

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## PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

- 10-O-0397 (2) An Ordinance by Councilmember H. Lamar Willis as substituted by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee amending Section 162-227 and Section 162-232 of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances so as to establish fees for the administrative costs associated with nonconsensual motor vehicle towing; and for other purposes. (Public Hearing held 4/27/10) (Substituted and held 4/27/10 for further evaluation and review.)
- 10-O-0399 (3) An Ordinance by Councilmember Ivory L. Young, Jr. to amend Article XXIII, ("Vending on Public Property") of Chapter 30, ("Businesses"), Section 30-1436 ("Disabled Veterans"), of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, so as to expressly exempt Disabled Veterans from participation in the Public Vending Management Program; and for other purposes. (Held 2/23/10 for further review)
- 10-O-0728 (4) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend Chapter 30, Article VIII, of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances to clearly distinguish between legitimate Escorts holding permits issued by the City of Atlanta under its police powers, and persons who perform Criminal Acts as determined by State Law; and for other purposes. (Held 5/11/10 for further review)
- 10-R-0855 (5) Claim of **Ron Tuso**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a sewer backup on November 10, 2009 at 1850 Memorial Drive. **(Held 5/11/10 for further review by the Law Department)**
- 10-O-1173 (6) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Ivory L. Young, Jr. and C. T. Martin imposing a Ninety (90) Day Moratorium on the City's Public Property Vending Program; to create a subcommittee to study and review the operation of the Public Property Vending Program; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. (Referred back from Council 7/19/10) (Held 7/27/10 for further review)

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## PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

10-0-1342 (7)

An Ordinance by Councilmembers Kwanza Hall, Michael J. Bond, Aaron Watson, Alex Wan, C. T. Martin, Felicia A. Moore and Ivory L. Young, Jr. to amend Chapter 10, Article II. Division 3 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia by creating a new Section 10-130 to be entitled "Extended Hours Permit Pilot Program"; to temporarily waive the provisions of Chapter 10, Article II, Section 10-209 (c) and (d) of the Code of Ordinances in the Edgewood Avenue/Auburn Avenue District of the City so as to allow for a Pilot Program to examine the impact of extending the permissible hours for establishments authorized to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption; to define the boundaries of the Edgewood Avenue/Auburn Avenue District: to waive conflicting ordinances for this instance only; and for other purposes. (Held 7/13/10 for further discussion)

10-R-1343 (8)

A Resolution by Councilmembers Kwanza Hall, Michael J. Bond, Aaron Watson, Alex Wan, Felicia A. Moore, Joyce Sheperd, Ivory L. Young, Jr., Natalyn M. Archibong and Carla Smith as amended by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to establish a Task Force to review the Alcoholic Beverage Licensing Process generally, from application to License Review Board consideration and to the enforcement of Alcoholic Beverage Laws, Ordinances and Regulations; to authorize the Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to determine the membership structure of the Task Force; and for other purposes. (Amended and held 7/13/10 for further discussion)

10-R-1813 (9)

A Resolution by Councilmember Michael J. Bond requesting the Atlanta Police Department (APD) to study the feasibility of increasing the collaboration with the Atlanta Public Schools (APS) Security Operations; and for other purposes. (Held 10/12/10, at the request of the author)

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## PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

- 10-O-1880 (10) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Kwanza Hall, Aaron Watson, H. Lamar Willis, Michael J. Bond, Natalyn Archibong, Keisha Lance Bottoms, Alex Wan and Carla Smith authorizing the operation of Human-Drawn Vehicles (Pedicabs) within the City of Atlanta; to establish requirements and regulations for such program; and for other purposes. (Held 10/26/10 for further review at the request of the author)
- 10-O-2228 (11) An Ordinance by Councilmember H. Lamar Willis as amended by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee amending the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances so as to add a new Section 2-1719, prohibition against the use of cell phones by City Employees while operating a vehicle in the performance of city business; and for other purposes. (Held 12/14/10 for further review by the Law Department.) (Amended and held 3/1/11)
- 11-R-0772 (12) A Resolution by Councilmembers Michael J. Bond and Ivory Lee Young, Jr. to amend the Contract with U. K. LaSalle LLC, (an entity affiliated with General Growth Properties, Inc.) for the Administration and Management of the Public Vending Program, so as to grant a first right of refusal to vendors who currently hold vending permits or who formerly held vending permits as of November 21, 2001, for vending locations around Turner Field; and for other purposes. (Held 5/10/11 for further discussions)
- A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor or his designee to exercise renewal options with Wrecker Service Vendors listed on Contract FC-6008000003 ("Contract"), for Wrecker Services for vehicles under two (2) tons, on behalf of the Department of Police, all revenues generated under this contract shall be deposited as described in this resolution; and for other purposes. (Referred back by Full Council 10/3/11) (Held 10/11/11 for further review)

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## PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)

- An Ordinance by Councilmembers Felicia A. Moore, Natalyn Archibong, Joyce Sheperd, Michael J. Bond, Yolanda Adrean, Kwanza Hall and Alex Wan to amend Section 62-27.1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, so as to decrease the number of Municipal Court Judges from ten (10) to eight (8); to waive conflicting ordinances and code sections; and for other purposes. (Referred back by Full Council 7/5/11) (Held 7/11/11 for further review)
- 11-O-1479 (15) An Ordinance by Councilmember Michael J. Bond to amend Chapter 10, (Alcoholic Beverages) of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances to provide for the regulation of package and convenience stores; and for other purposes. (Held 10/11/11 at the author's request)
- 12-R-0354 (16) A Resolution by Councilmember Kwanza Hall authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Lease Agreement with Second Bedford Pine, LTD., on behalf of the Atlanta Police Department for the Rental of Apartment #101 located at 447 Boulevard, NE, Atlanta, Georgia for a Department of Police Zone Six Processing Center from the period of \_\_\_\_\_\_ 2012 through \_\_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_, at a rental rate of \$0 per year; and for other purposes. (Held 3/13/12 for further review)

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There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

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The Honorable Michael J. Bond, Chair

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